

FEB 16 2007

## Merchant &amp; Gould

An Intellectual Property Law Firm

Merchant & Gould P.C.  
3200 IDS Center  
80 South Eighth Street  
Minneapolis, MN 55402-2215

A Professional Corporation

Fax Transmission

February 16, 2007

TO:

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

FROM: Gregory A. Sebald

OUR REF: 11123.0110USWO

TELEPHONE: 612-336-4728

Total pages, including cover letter: 15

PTO FAX NUMBER 1-571-273-8300

If you do NOT receive all of the pages, please telephone us at 612.332.5300, or fax us at 612.332.9081.

Title of Document Transmitted:  
Applicant: BERTRAND et al.  
Serial No.: 10/589529  
Filed: August 15, 2006  
Group Art Unit: Unknown  
Our Ref. No. 11123.0110USWO  
Confirmation No. UnknownPRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate.

By

Name: Gregory A. SebaldReg. No.: 33,280

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.

Natalie Berland

Signature

Date

February 16, 2007

GEN033.DOT

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 16 2007

PATENT

S/N 10/589529

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	BERTRAND et al.	Examiner:	Unknown
Serial No.:	10/589529	Group Art Unit:	Unknown
Filed:	August 15, 2006	Docket No.:	11123.0110USWO
Title:	NEW PROCESS FOR THE SYNTHESIS OF SUBSTITUTED ALPHA-AMINOINDAN DERIVATIVES		

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.6(d):

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on

By:

Name: Natalie Bertrand

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In connection with the above-identified application filed herewith, please enter the following preliminary amendment:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 6 of this paper.

Please insert the **Abstract** page beginning on page 13 into the application as the last page thereof.

**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.